

## THE MARKETS.

STOCKS.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Bar silver 95½.  
Copper—full and steady; lake December, \$14.  
Lead—quiet and firm; domestic, \$3.90.

Stocks continue to show a steadily decreasing volume of business and to-day's record was smaller than anything seen in months. The unlisted department was more active in the aggregate, but the increase was all in sugar refineries. The stock seemed to touch bottom last day at 55½, when large buying orders came in and a substantial rally of over 4 per cent. was made. All the improvement was not retained at the close. The most important movement, however, was in Memphis & Charleston, which advanced 5 per cent. on a decision of the supreme court of Alabama, prohibiting the East Tennessee from voting a majority of Memphis & Charleston stock, which it holds. There was renewed selling of Chicago & Eastern Illinois, and preferred stock shows a decline of about 1½%. The general list, after a steady opening, advanced slightly, but the gains were general, and the market closed dull and steady at or near to opening figures. Goresman opened steady.

Petroleum opened steady at 1,034, and after first sales moved up slowly. There was little interest shown in trading and the market closed dull at 1,034.

Government bonds, 4s, 12½, 4½, 10½; Northern Pacific, 6½%; preferred, 7½%; Oregon Improvement, 4½; Oregon Navigation, 10½%; Transcontinental, 4½; 5½; 6½; 7½; 8½; 9½.

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